



## ATHLETES PACKAGE – GRAND FINAL

<b>Event:</b>	German Long Drive Championship – GRAND FINAL
<b>Short description:</b>	Final event of the German Long Drive Championship
<b>Date:</b>	Saturday, 10.08.2019 from 9:00 am til Sunday, 11.08.2019, 7:00 pm
<b>Check-in / registration:</b>	starts Saturday and Sunday at 9:00 am
<b>Venue:</b>	GolfCity Cologne Pulheim, Am Golfplatz 1, 50259 Cologne Pulheim Travel costs are covered by the players.

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**Eligibility:** Each longhitter: male & female, amateur & pro, younger & elder.  
We recommend you have played Golf before. 😊

**Mode of competition:** The qualifying will take place on Saturday the 10<sup>th</sup> of August 2019, the main round and the matchplays will be played on the 11<sup>th</sup> of August 2019.

*In the qualifying a ranking of the personal longest balls of all participants will be built. The longest drive in a so called "set" will be determined by the longest drive of maximum eight balls that must stay in the grid (begins at 175 yards). The eight balls must be hit within the time limit of three minutes.*

*There will be a cut and the 40 best male athletes move on to the main round. The eight best female athletes will directly proceed to the quarterfinals. There will not be a main round for the women.*

*In the main round the remaining players will compete in groups of five. In total there will be eight groups. The best two players of each group will proceed to the round of the last 16.*

*The number of male athletes proceeding to the main round can be modified due to the total number of participants. The total number of participants is certain on the 7<sup>th</sup> of August 2019 at 6 pm.*

*The round of the last 16, the quarterfinals, the semifinals as well as the final will be played as a matchplay format: man vs. man / woman vs. woman. There will be no bronze match. The places 3 and 4 will be determined by the best drive from the semifinals.*





- Categories:** Men (minimum number of participants: 8)
- Women (minimum number of participants: 8)
- The tournament committee reserves the right to assign wild cards to certain players.
- WLDC spot:** The male winner of the GRAND FINAL will receive a World Long Drive Championship spot. If the winner already has a spot for the World Long Drive Championship, the prize will be given to the next best participant, who is not qualified yet. The participation in at least one REGULAR SEASON event is required to win the WLDC spot in the GRAND FINAL.
- Prizes (amateurs):** Amateurs who finish within the Top 3 will receive a prize in the value of up to 750 €. If no amateur will end up in the Top 3, the committee reserves the right to honour the best amateurs (m & f) with prizes as well. The difference between the prizes for amateurs and professionals depends on the golf amateur statutes.
- Prizes (professionals):**
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| Male hitters:   | 1st place: €4,000 | 2nd place: €2,000 | 3rd place: €1,000 |
| Female hitters: | 1st place: €1,500 | 2nd place: €1,000 | 3rd place: €750   |
- Balls:** Balls are provided.
- Tees:** Tees are provided (100mm and 70mm) but players are allowed to use their own tees.
- Ball tracking system:** The GRAND FINAL played from a tee box in a grid, so the real distance of a drive is measured. The measurement of each ball will be done the same way.
- Warm-up:** Players may warm-up before they hit during a given time frame. Due to lack of space at the fair, a permanent practice area is not provided.
- Dress-Code:** We will not enforce a strict dress code and allow any sports-wear. Simply respect the sport and don't wear your worn-out jeans from 1993 and please leave your tank tops at home 😊
- Registration:** You can find the registration form on [www.germanlongdrive.de](http://www.germanlongdrive.de)  
E-Mail: [nina@germanlongdrive.de](mailto:nina@germanlongdrive.de)
- A confirmation of registration will be sent to each participant by mail.
- Registration closing date:** Wednesday, 07.08.2019 at 06.00 pm  
Participants, who do not apply within the registration period, can be accepted at the tournament committee's discretion.
- Entrance fee:** Registration is subject to an entrance fee of €200.00 for professionals and €50.00 for amateurs.  
By paying a base fee of €200 for the season 2019 you are ranked in the official GLDC's ranking.





*As compensation, the entrance fee is reduced by €30 for REGULAR SEASON events (€170 instead of €200 for professionals / €20 instead of €50 for amateurs).*

**Tournament committee:** *The organizer of the event (Deutsche Golf Sport GmbH) will determine the members.*

**Reservation of the right of modification:** *The tournament committee reserves the right to change the generic conditions of competition.*

**Data protection:** *You can find all information regarding data protection starting on page 3 of the registration form.*

**Supplementary regulations:** *The „Rulebook” of German Long Drive Championship applies for this event. These can be found on [www.germanlongdrive.de](http://www.germanlongdrive.de).*

